

REMARKS

All claims except claim 16 have been canceled. Applicants thank the Examiner for indicating that claim 16 would be allowable if rewritten in independent form. Claim 16 has been rewritten. Applicants respectfully reserve the right to file a continuation application with the canceled claims..

Applicants thank the Examiner for noting that Applicants filed an IDS in 2001 – Applicants look forward to receiving the Examiner's review of any of Applicants' statement(s) of references.

The Drawings were objected to for failing to comply with 37 CFR 1.84(p)(5). Specifically, Fig. 2c was objected to for not showing reference nos. "5" and "6" of the zoom telescopes, as described in the Specification. Fig. 2c has been amended above to include the reference nos. No new matter has been added. Accordingly, Applicants submit that the Drawings have been amended in accordance with the Examiner's request and any objections to the Drawings have been overcome. Withdrawal of the objections to the Drawings is respectfully requested.

In view of the above amendments and remarks, Applicants respectfully request allowance of claim 16 and acceptance of the drawings.

CONCLUSION

In view of all of the above, it is believed that the objections to the drawings and claim 16 have been obviated, and that claim 16 is allowable. It is therefore respectfully requested that the objections be reconsidered and withdrawn, and that the present application issue as early as possible.

Respectfully submitted,

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